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Senate Resolution 1405

By: Senator Golden of the 8th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Georgia State Patrol Executive Security and recognizing the services of

2 Master Trooper Kevin E. Johnson to Georgia and the Lt. Governor; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the nature of the law enforcement duties and services of the Georgia State

4 Patrol Executive Security are invaluable to this state because they protect our highest elected

5 officials; and

6 WHEREAS, each and every member of the Executive Security places their personal health

7 and safety at risk every day to ensure that our state shall remain safe and our elected officials

8 can effectively lead; and

9 WHEREAS, Kevin Johnson chose to serve his state, his fellow man, and offered all

10 sacrifices necessary for others to remain safe while allowing Lt. Governor Mark Taylor to

11 efficiently conduct his duties; and

12 WHEREAS, in his service to Georgia for over 20 years, Kevin Johnson served both Lt.

13 Governor Mark Taylor and Governor Zell Miller for eight years each – all in his attempt to

14 fulfill his chosen duty to his beloved state; and

15 WHEREAS, as director of Executive Security for Lt. Governor Taylor, Kevin Johnson

16 effectively coordinated every aspect of safety and was an accomplished leader who was

17 always reliable and greatly respected; and

18 WHEREAS, none of his personal sacrifice would have been possible without the loving

support of his family, especially his wife Arrie, and without their sacrifice to our state; and

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1 WHEREAS, there shall be no doubt that Master Trooper Johnson's work and long hours will

- 2 forever be appreciated and honored by Lt. Governor Taylor and every staff member of his
- 3 office.
- 4 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that this body commends the
- 5 Georgia State Patrol Executive Security and recognizes Kevin Johnson for his unselfish
- 6 service to our great state, Lt. Governor Mark Taylor, and to his community.
- 7 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 8 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Master Trooper Kevin E. Johnson.